

## **CIVIC AFFAIRS COMMITTEE**

**TUESDAY, 5 MARCH 2019**

### **DECISIONS**

Set out below is a summary of the decisions taken at the Civic Affairs Committee held on Tuesday, 5 March 2019. Decisions made by the Portfolio Holder will be subject to call-in. Recommendations made to the Cabinet or to the Council are not subject to call-in. The wording used does not necessarily reflect the actual wording that will appear in the minutes.

If you have any queries about any matters referred to in this decision sheet please contact Patrick Adams.

#### **1. COMMUNITY GOVERNANCE REVIEW - STAPLEFORD PARISH COUNCIL**

The Civic Affairs Committee

##### **AGREED**

- A)** To the request from Stapleford Parish Council to increase the number of parish councillors from 9 to 11.
- B)** To implement this change on Thursday 2 May 2019 (to be funded by the parish council).

**Other Options Considered:** To decide no change to the number of parish councillors from 9.

To amend the number of parish councillors to an alternative number.

To implement the change from the next scheduled election in May 2022.

**Reason For Decision:** Stapleford Parish Council requested a Community Governance Review to increase its numbers from 9 to 11 and requested that the change be implemented in May 2019, to be funded by the Parish Council. Submissions and representatives from Stapleford Parish Council convinced the Committee to agree to this.